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DEVICE AND METHODAssistant Commissioner of Patents
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee, Applicant wishes to amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 3-5, 8-10, 13-15, and 18-20 as follows (a marked up version of claim 3 being appended hereto):

Claim 3 (amended). The device according to claim 1 wherein the instruction displays characters.

Claim 4 (amended). The device according to claim 1 wherein the instruction accesses a web site on the Internet.

Claim 5 (amended). The device according to claim 1 wherein the instruction starts an application program.